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Law Enforcement Crime Scene Investigator Course

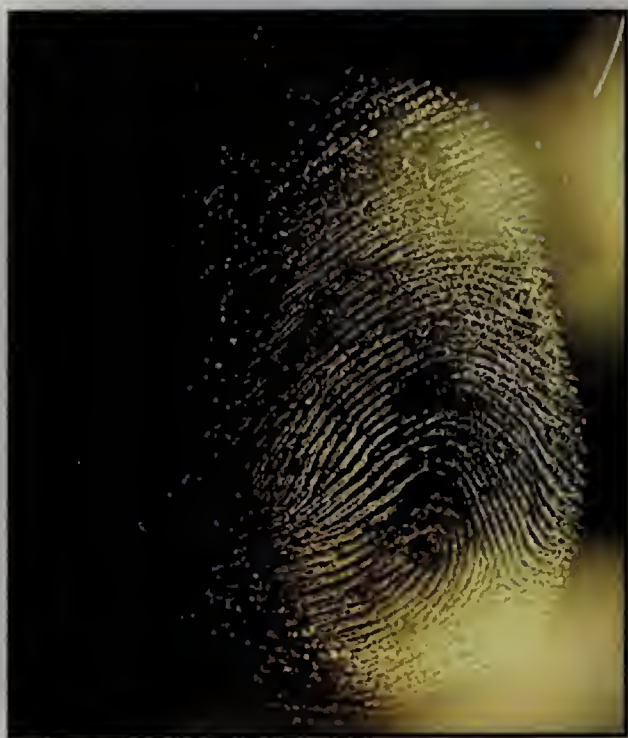


A five-week intensive instruction in
forensic crime scene investigation that
is designed to establish
competencies in the discipline
of crime scene processing.



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The Crime Scene

“Physical evidence has the potential to play a critical role in the overall investigation and resolution of a suspected criminal act. Realization of this potential depends on actions taken early in the criminal investigation at the crime scene. Developments in technology and improvements in the analysis and interpretation of physical evidence recovered from crime scenes will place even greater importance on properly documented and preserved evidence. An important factor influencing the ultimate legal significance of this scientific evidence is that investigators follow an objective, thorough, and thoughtful approach. The goal of this process is to recognize and preserve physical evidence that will yield reliable information to aid in the investigation.”

~ US Department of Justice

TRAINING DATES:

For training dates go to:
www.isp.state.il.us

TRAINING LOCATION:

Illinois State Police Academy
3700 East Lake Shore Drive
Springfield, IL 62712

TUITION:

For tuition costs go to:
www.isp.state.il.us

The tuition includes the Field Kit,
Text Book and all course related
materials.



Today, the Forensic Science community is increasingly under public scrutiny for all of its actions, making it essential that the Crime Scene Investigator be provided with the highest level of training and knowledge possible. The goal of this program is to provide the participants with training in the areas of:

- The Legal Aspects of Physical Evidence
- Crime Scene Management
- The Theory and Techniques of Crime Scene Searches
- Photography
- Crime Scene Sketching
- The Collection, Preservation and Transportation of Physical Evidence
- Intensive Fingerprint Processing
- Forensic Entomology
- Forensic Anthropology
- Blood Pattern Interpretation
- Autopsy Protocols

This training is highly interactive, and combines, in a multi-media format, traditional lecture, video case studies and hands-on exercises to insure the maximum impact and benefit to the participants.

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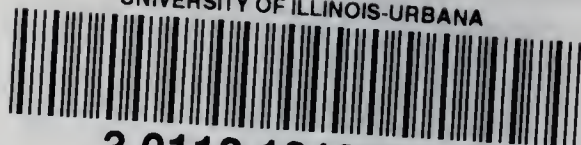
“Actions taken at the outset of an investigation, at a crime scene, can play a pivotal role in the resolution of a case. Careful, thorough investigation is key, to ensure that potential physical evidence is not tainted or destroyed or potential witnesses overlooked. While many agencies have programs in crime scene processing, the level of training and resources available varies from jurisdiction to jurisdiction, as does the opportunity to practice actual investigation. Quality training is essential to insure that this physical evidence is not lost.”

~ Janet Reno,
US Attorney General 1993-2001



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The Illinois State Police has designed this program to establish participants' competencies in the discipline of Crime Scene Processing. The approach of this training is holistic in nature and is intended to emphasize the importance of thoroughness, accuracy and integrity while processing a crime scene.



FOR ADDITIONAL COURSE INFORMATION

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